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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 225/50994

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Rainer KRUMREIN

entitled: **AUTHORIZATION PROCESS FOR THE COMMUNICATION
WITH A DATA BUS**

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 9 claims (pages 1-18, plus Abstract).
2. 2 Sheet(s) of drawings showing Figs. 1, 2 and 3.
3. X Declaration and Power of Attorney (**unexecuted - 1 page**).
4. X Application Data Sheet. (1 page)
5. Certified copy of Priority Document 101 12 699.9 filed in Germany
on 16 March 2001, the priority of which is being claimed under 35
U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee				\$370/740 =	\$740.00
Total Claims	<u>9</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u> x \$ 9/18 = \$
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	-	3	=	<u>0</u> x \$ 42/84 = \$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$140/280 =	\$
Total Filing Fee					<u>\$740.00</u>

The filing fee is being deferred at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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